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At a Council held at the City of Annapolis on Saturday Lib. J. R. the ninth Day of October in the sixth year of his Lordship's & U. S. Dominion Annoque Domini 1756.

## Present

His Excellency Horatio Sharpe Esquire Governour.

	Benjamin Tasker Esq <sup>r</sup>	Col: Benjamin Tasker
	Colonel Charles Ham-	<b>₽</b> ,
honourable	mond	ſ Œ
	Philip Thomas Esquire	Richard Lee Esquire

Ordered that the Clerk of this Board draw an Order on the honourable Col: Edward Lloyd, Treasurer of the Eastern Shore payable to M<sup>r</sup> Henry Walls or Order for twenty five pounds sterling, being his years Sallary as Armourer of this province ending the 29<sup>th</sup> of September last, to be paid out of the Duty of 3<sup>d</sup> p Hhd. for Arms.

The following Fees were by Order of this Board regulated to be taken by the Clerk of the Council for all Commissions hereafter granted by the Governor & for which no ffees have been allowed by Act of Assembly and he is directed to take the same accordingly.

For every ffield Officers Commission, twelve Shillings. For every Captains Commission, eight Shillings.

For every Subaltern's Commission six Shillings.

At a Council held at the City of Annapolis the 13<sup>th</sup> Day of November in the sixth year of his Lordship's Dominion Annoq Dom 1756.

## Present

His Excellency Horatio Sharpe Esquire Governour.

	[Benjamin Tasker Esq <sup>r</sup> ]	Col: Benjamin Tasker
the	Colonel Charles Ham-	Richard Lee Esquire
honourable	mond	Benedict Calvert
	[Philip Thomas Esquire]	Esquire

The above named Gentlemen being met in Consequence of p. 135 Letters writ to them by the Governor's Orders the 8th Instant His Excellency laid before the Board a Copy of a Deposition said to have been made before Colonel Thomas Cresap by one William Johnston who was lately brought hither by his Excellency's Order from Fort Frederick and was on his Arrival here committed to the Custody of the Sheriff of Ann Arundell County.